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Joyous Victory Day Festivities Held In Pass Towns

Parade Longest And Best In Pass History; Many Beautiful Floats Entered; Fireworks And Dance Enjoyed

Subdued excitement raced through town between seven and eight o'clock Monday morning as radios flashed the news of Germany's unconditional surrender to the Allies. The flash that all had waited so long to hear was finally being spoken. However, due to the fact that the governments of the three big powers had not given the official announcement some misunderstanding developed among some citizens. As it turned out the war did not officially come to an end until 4 p.m. Tuesday.

Despite the uncertainty of what the official celebration program might be, however, the local storekeepers and citizens got out their flags and bunting and soon main street and the residential sections took on a gala scene. Main street really went to town as one streamer after another were stretched across the street. At noon the electricians were busy installing eight strings of lights at various points on main street. Flags were prominently displayed in all windows and those that were a little slow at decorating soon had a visit from George Derbyshire.

At 10 o'clock a queue had lined up in front of the liquor vendor store. It never appeared to diminish in number despite the fact that many were to be seen with their refreshments under their arm.

Small groups of men and women were to be seen standing and talking about the historic news and voicing their guesses when Prime Minister Churchill would talk to the world and give the news his official O.K.

The VE Celebration committee hurriedly had posters printed calling all citizens to report at a meeting to be held that evening at 7 p.m. Mayor Frank Abousaffy then proclaimed Wednesday a civic holiday, posters to this effect being distributed throughout town.

At 7 p.m. a large attendance was secured at the VE committee meeting when all chairman reported on their activities. Blaimore was represented and an understanding reached as to what was to be done in the Pass-wide parade on Wednesday at 1 p.m.

About 9 o'clock Monday evening the brass band arrived from Bellevue and played a few selections in front of the Victory Loan office on Main street, a goodly crowd appearing as if by magic. Soon the theatre crowd came out and the crowd swelled to overflowing across main street, halting traffic. The band was prevailed upon to play more tunes, part of main street was blocked off by cars and dancing started in the middle of the street. This lasted for about fifteen minutes, till dancers and bandmen alike became chilled from the cool east wind which had prevailed all day, and the gathering broke up.

Tuesday morning came with the ever-present cold east wind still blowing. Quietness prevailed throughout town during the morning. Large crowds attended the Catholic church services. In the early afternoon it was decided by the clergy to hold the scheduled religious services in the Community hall rather than in the Central school grounds as called for in the original plans. This was made necessary due to the cold weather. Possibly the public was not fully aware of the time schedule for the services, as only a small crowd attended.

Church Service

Hearts were lifted up in prayer and thanksgiving as a people met in the Community hall on Tuesday afternoon for the VE-Day service sponsored by the Ministerial Association of Coleman.

There was joyful realization amongst the audience of answered prayers for victory and safety of their loved ones; yet many thanked God for the freedom for which their

loved ones gave their lives.

The service was led on by Rev. Brown, of the Anglican church, assisted by Rev. Kettys of the United church, and Captain T. Smith, of the Salvation Army. A mixed choir assisted in the singing under the leadership of Mr. Cousins, with Donald Graham at the piano.

As Captain Smith brought the address to the listening people he reminded them that only because God was on the Allied side that VE-Day was realized, reminding them of the miracles of God at various times during the history of World War II. If peace is to be maintained it must be sought on bended knee before God and as a people in a Christian land it is up to each individual to seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all other things shall be added unto us.

As the message was brought to a close an urge was made for parents to rebuild their family altars and have the word of God in their foundation for life.

The service was brought to a close with the singing of a hymn, then the National Anthem. Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Brown.

Wednesday morning, the really big day, broke with cloudy sky. However, the chill wind was gone and as the morning progressed the cloud formations broke up and finally ended up in brilliant warm sunshine as the parade started at 1 p.m.

The streets became jammed with cars and pedestrians. The parade gathered in West Coleman and accompanied by two brass bands and a pipe band slowly wended its way through the main street. Some exceptionally beautiful floats were in the parade. Some must have taken days to decorate. One Coleman float was trimmed with artificial flowers and drew the admiration of all.

Organizations having floats were Canadian Legion, Ladies Auxiliary Canadian Legion, Coleman Lions, Coleman Elks, Coleman Slovaks, Coleman Polish Society, The Motordrome Garage, Toppano's Grocery, Bobbitt's Grocery, Coleman CGIT, Coleman Czechoslovaks, Harry Boulton with a Forestry truck, Russian-Canadian Federation, IODE, Blaimore Elks, The Belgians, a Jeep, Blaimore fire brigade, a large forest truck, United Nations, "Peace" truck, "In Memoriam" truck, Home Front, Bellevue Lions, Nations of the world (entered by Hillcrest) and Future Canadians.

Old timers standing along the street voiced the opinion that it was the best and longest parade ever to be staged in the Pass and they were looking back on 1918 when the celebrations for the last war took place.

In Coleman Mayor Frank Abousaffy, Rev. G. A. Kettys and Rev. W. E. Brown gave brief addresses, while Capt. Smith, of The Salvation Army, led in prayer. The speakers spoke of the sacrifice of Canadian soldiers in helping win the peace and of the Canadians on the home front who had backed their soldiers to the limit.

The parade then wended its way to Blaimore, Frank, Bellevue and Hillcrest, where it arrived right on schedule.

Citizens returning to Coleman then gathered at 7.30 at the ball field where the daylight fireworks were shot off. Many hundreds were gathered at the field and saw fireworks explode high in the air unfurling flag of the United Nations attached to a parachute which sailed almost a mile in the sky before falling to earth. The surrounding hills appeared like ant hills as scores of children and youths swarmed after the descending flags.

Following the close of the fireworks the huge bonfire was set ablaze. As it was not quite dark, however, the bonfire lost some of

ORGANIZATIONS! YOUR ATTENTION, PLEASE!

Last fall circular letters were sent to practically all local organizations asking for donations toward VE-Day celebrations. Some came forward with donations while others intimated that donations would be forthcoming when Victory Day arrived. That day has now come and gone. In order that accounts can be paid as quickly as possible will all those organizations planning on giving a donation please do so now.

Cheques should be made payable to the VE-Day Celebration Committee and mailed to A. Balloch, finance chairman.

Carl Anderson Critically Injured In Collision

Suffered Fractured Skull When His Car and Burnham Truck Collided at Bluff on East Main Street.

Carl Anderson, Coleman citizen, lies seriously injured in the local hospital with a fractured skull and other injuries suffered on Monday afternoon when his Ford car collided with a truck owned by R. Burnham and driven by Tom Williams, of Blaimore.

The accident occurred at approximately 4.15 p.m. at the bluff east of main street. According to the police report Mr. Anderson failed to take the curve, the car going to the wrong side of the road where it smashed into the truck. Severe damage was done to the car and Mr. Anderson received serious injury. Mrs. Anderson, who was with her husband, received facial lacerations.

When garage attendants came to remove the two vehicles they found that the impact was so great that both cars were joined together and force had to be used to separate them.

Mr. Anderson was unconscious when taken from the car, but gained consciousness the following morning.

This was the only serious accident to happen in the Pass following the news that the European war was over.

COUPON CALENDAR

- May 10: Butter coupon 106.
 - May 17: Butter coupon 107.
 - Sugar coupons 58 and 59.
 - Preserves coupons 47 to 56.
- (These include 8 extra for sugar for canning.)

its appeal and was to be seen blazing hours later practically unnoticed by the citizens at large.

About 9 p.m. the main street was blocked off and dancers were given band music followed by canned music to dance to until the wee hours of the morning. From 8 to 11 p.m. the streets were literally choked with pedestrians who wanted to watch or take part in the dancing.

Thursday morning town workmen were busy taking down the street decorations. All equipment purchased by the VE-Day committee will be given to the town for future use.

THANK YOU Coleman, May 10.

The Editor, The Coleman Journal.

Dear Sir: May I express through your columns the sincere thanks of the Entertainment Committee to those loyal helpers, though not officially members of the committee, who volunteered their assistance in the serving of the refreshments on VE-Day. These included Mesdames M. Comes and R. Loiselle, Miss Yull, Miss Dunlop and Miss Goffrey, of the school staff, and E. R. Kennedy. Particular thanks also to Mr. Ray Steurbaut and Mrs. Harry Drew, the eminent chefs, to whose untiring efforts the success of the undertaking was largely due; also to many others who helped in various ways as opportunity offered.

—Yours truly,
Maurice W. Cooke.

CONVOCATION EXERCISES

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones will leave on Saturday morning for Edmonton where they will attend the convocation exercises at which their son, Owen James Jones, will receive his degree of BSc in civil engineering from the University of Alberta.

Owen has studied four years at university plus a year at normal school. He is at present a cadet at Sarssee military camp, Calgary. Congratulations are also extended to Mr. Jim Cousins, of the local high school staff, who will receive his BA degree at the same convocation exercises as Mr. Jones. Mr. Cousins will leave for the northern city this week end. He has attended summer school at Edmonton during the summer holidays for a number of years and his perseverance and study has culminated in his winning his BA degree.



Cpl. Roach Cousins who is expected home this (Friday) evening.

Physical Training Group Sponsored "Scavenger Hunt"

(By H. Dibble)

On Monday night, April 30, citizens about town watched with curiosity as a variety of unusual objects were tagged, pushed and coaxed along main street and hastily deposited in the Community hall — everything from wheelbarrows and dressmakers' forms to fried eggs and hay, not to mention a stray cat or two which seemed reluctant to join in the fun.

If you were one of the bewildered citizens who was asked over the phone, "Have you a moustache cup?" or if you were greeted at the door with, "Have you by any chance a January fourth issue of The Coleman Journal?" you know what the fun was all about.

Those who took part in the quest were members of the Youth Training group, who marked the end of a most successful season with a scavenger hunt followed by a fish-and-chip party in the Community hall.

In the course of the evening, the group presented to Mrs. Seaman a small gift in recognition of her splendid leadership throughout the season.

Highlight of the evening was the reading of a verse, one of the treasures demanded on the scavenger hunt. It was composed in a matter of minutes by a local citizen who, though too modest to claim authorship, deserves special mention for the following witty, but not too flattering poem:

Oh to be in England now that spring is here,
But better still in Coleman where the ground is not so bare;
And Seaman's class of PT girls the hills are prone to romp,
As in the winter, in the hall, they stomp and stomp and stomp!
A desperate effort 'so 'tis said,
Their curves to slim and slender,
While Isobel with vicious eye commands "You better bender!"
This same pert lass their diet watches,
She strictly bans all cakes and starches
And recommends such things as jellies
As being good for protruding — double chins.

Approximately 1800 Citizens To Attend Tuberculosis Mobile X-Ray Clinic; Thursday Was Busy Day

Miners Unable to Come When First Scheduled Should Record Time When They Can Come With Clinic Secretary in the Community Hall.

The tuberculosis X-ray clinic is now in town and in operation. Citizens streamed into the Community hall early Thursday morning to be X-rayed and the steady pace continued throughout the morning, keeping the machine at full capacity.

As was to be expected, a number received time schedules which were unsuitable. This is being rectified by those persons calling at the clinic either in the morning or evening and recording a more available time with the clinic secretary whose job it is to iron out these little details.

Up to Tuesday evening, 1,556 adults had recorded their names with the clinic committee. In addition it is estimated that approximately 300 school students will be X-rayed. It has been proved that a number were overlooked and they

are now registering their names so that it is quite possible that 1,900 persons may attend the clinic.

Clinic personnel are Miss Mildred F. O'Neill, RN, Ed. Holberg and Arthur Ayres. Mrs. Joe Spievak Jr and Miss Josephine Mizera are assisting.

It is planned to have the clinic remain here for a week in order that all who have registered may be X-rayed.

Some scheduled for Thursday morning failed to appear at the clinic. Please adhere to your time schedule as it disrupts the clinic's entire schedule. If the husband is unable to keep his scheduled appointment the wife should do her best to keep the appointment and tell the secretary which time would be most convenient for her husband.

Blaimore and Bellevue are busy organizing for the visit of the clinic. They are adopting the same system as Coleman, using high school students to do the house-to-house canvass.

Fish And Game Association Organized

Percy Knowles and Jim Kerr Appointed President and Secretary Respectively; Large Attendance.

On Friday evening approximately forty fish and game enthusiasts attended the organization meeting of Coleman Fish and Game Association.

Percy Knowles, sponsor of the meeting, was chosen temporary chairman, and Jim Kerr temporary secretary.

Letters were read from Mr. Spargo, secretary of the Alberta Fish and Game Association, in which he urged the organization of a fish and game association in Coleman.

It was unanimously agreed that the old Coleman Fish and Game Association be reorganized. Officers elected were:

President: Percy Knowles.
Sec.-Treasurer: Jim Kerr.
Game Committee: Leslie McDonald (chairman), S. DeKleyn, Henry Tiberghien, J. Kerr.

Fish Committee: Joe Jenkins (chairman), B. Gentile, J. Kineear, Sr., J. Kerr.

Predatory Committee: Mike Kubica (chairman), J. Zur, H. Tiberghien.

It was agreed to affiliate with the Alberta Fish and Game Association, the membership fee 25c per club member.

Season's fee was set at \$1.00. \$36 in fees were collected during the meeting. It was agreed that a membership drive be started to obtain as many members as possible.

A \$10 gift was received from one of the members to start the organization.

Forest Ranger Harry Boulton spoke to the newly created organization and prevailed upon the members to realize the responsibility which now rested on their shoulders in the protection of fish and game in this area. He asked them to enforce all fish and game laws and to play ball with the association.

A lengthy discussion took place on whether or not big game roamed the local forests in sufficient quantity, sheep being mentioned specially.

Membership cards will be printed shortly and mailed to the members. Membership can be obtained by contacting Jim Kerr at The Motordrome garage.

—V—
Your Canada needs millions, what is your share? Buy Victory Bonds.

Hope To Reach \$150,000 By End Of Week

\$144,000 Subscribed Up Till This Morning; Citizens Urged to Say "Thanks With A Bond."

Unit Organizer Frank Abousaffy announced that \$144,000 had been subscribed locally in the Eighth Victory Loan up till Thursday evening. This is only \$6,000 short of Coleman's second objective of \$150,000.

The Victory festivities during the week cut deeply into the daily average, but this was to be expected and canvassers are once again on the job with the expectations that some who have already purchased will voice their thanks for Victory with a second bond.

The drive comes to an official close on Saturday evening and those not yet canvassed are asked to subscribe for a bond at the Victory Loan office on main street from 7 to 10 p.m. or contact either Frank Abousaffy of W. Dutil at their respective stores on main street where their subscription will be attended to. The bank will remain open on Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4 to take care of last-minute subscriptions.

REG. JONES' BROTHER RELEASED FROM PRISONER OF WAR CAMP

Last week Reg. Jones, of Hillcrest-Mohawk, received the good news from his parents in England that his brother, Pte. Ronald Jones, five years a prisoner of war, was now safely in England.


Ronald was taken prisoner at Dunkirk and was one of the prisoners at Stalag 7B. This camp was one of many which was overrun by the Allied sweep across Germany.

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AT YOUR GROCER TO-DAY

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q—Do I have to surrender ration coupons for infant's food?

A—Infant's canned vegetables are unrationed, but the canned fruit or fruit mixed with rice or any other food is rationed. The rate is 20 fluid ounces for one preserves coupon, which gives you four of the small five ounce tins.

Q—Which coupons will we use for preserves and sugar for canning when the present sheet of orange preserves coupons has been used up?

A—You will use coupons "P" in ration five for this purpose. The Board will announce in the usual way when the first coupons on this page will become valid.

Q—I am waiting for my discharge from the Air Force. I have been told that it will be difficult for me to purchase a civilian suit. Does the Government not try to help the servicemen in obtaining clothing?

A—Every demobilized man or woman at the time of discharge will be issued a certificate which will entitle him to buy one either ready-to-wear suit or suit tailored to measure. These certificates will greatly assist the serviceman in buying his suit, but it is not compulsory that the certificates be presented when a purchase is made.

Q—Have any of the ration coupons in ration book five been declared invalid?

A—All ration coupons in book five are still valid.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.



VALUE OF TOXOID EMPHASIZED

The authentic report from the health division of UNRRA that Nazi armies carried diptheria with them to all parts of invaded Europe is significant in that it serves to emphasize the value of toxoid and just what can happen when health services, including immunization, are disrupted or neglected. Canadian health authorities have reason for alarm over such a report.

The UNRRA report said Norway, the Netherlands, Belgium, Northern France and Czechoslovakia suffered especially. Only Great Britain and Hungary, where immunization was pushed to the limit, escaped the scourge.

Disease carriers with the Nazi armies spread diptheria epidemics wherever they went. The same can happen in Canada, with our own returning troops perhaps being the innocent "carriers."

In an editorial warning against diptheria, the Toronto Globe and Mail said that "considering that thousands of Canadian soldiers soon will be returning from the Netherlands, Belgium and Northern France, which have especially suffered from the German-borne scourge, the value of toxoid is underlined."

The editorial was published during observance of Toronto's 15th annual Toxoid Week, sponsored by the Health League of Canada and the Toronto Department of Public Health. It stated that "careless parents who fail to take advantage of the opportunity to have children treated at no cost to them will be derelict in duty if they fail to guard against a threatened invasion of the disease. They surely ought to be shaken from their indifference by the warning that oceans constitute no effective barrier against a disease of the diptheria type."

Dr. Gordon Jackson, Toronto's medical officer of health said in a Toxoid Week message that toxoid is the only substance known to science that proves efficient, lasting and positively harmless in the protection against diptheria.

USED LONG AGO

Booby traps were used as early as 1650 when baskets of eggs, fruits and other foods, as well as peddler's carts were made to appear abandoned and blew up when enemy soldiers touched them.

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Education For Peace

EVENTS OF THE PAST THIRTY YEARS have taught us much about war and peace. In that time we have participated in two world wars and have witnessed twenty years of uneasy peace. We are now rearing another era of peace and there is profound hope among the people of the victorious nations that it will not be uneasy and that it will be more enduring than the last one. It is now realized that there cannot be any hope for permanent world peace unless we are prepared to put into it as much energy and interest as we have given to the prosecution of the war. Lethargy on the part of people and of nations made it possible for the Axis powers to build up sufficient armed might to seriously threaten the whole world, and there is no doubt but that they are prepared to do it again in the future, if we do not remain constantly vigilant.

Approaches To Task Are Many

Approaches to the difficult task of laying the foundations for an enduring peace are being made through many channels. World trade conditions, social and economic problems, international boundaries and countless other matters are involved in the consideration of possible causes of future wars. Among those who have joined in the effort to plan for a wise and lasting peace are educators here and in other democratic countries. From them have come strong recommendations that a permanent international office for education be included as part of the world peace machinery. We have seen what was accomplished in Germany by inculcating the youth of that country with Nazi ideas. The great value of an educational program, designed to make our young people aware of the principles of democracy and of the forces which threaten democratic institutions, should not be overlooked at this time.

Should Learn Of Democracy

Educational leaders in Canada have joined with those of Great Britain and the United States in pointing out the importance of education as one means of safeguarding the peace. Dr. E. F. Willoughby of Winnipeg, President of the Canadian Teachers' Federation, stated recently that "if the people of Canada do not succeed in building a new, intelligent, informed, loyal citizenship we shall lose the war, even though our soldiers march in triumph through the streets of Berlin." He further suggested that Canadian schools should be deliberately designed to provide education "in and for democracy" as a means of preserving our way of life. Such a program would place a great responsibility on those engaged in educational work, but it would also give them an opportunity to have a part in the building of an enduring peace.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

WAITING

There are many times and circumstances in life when "Our strength is, to sit still."—Troyen Edwards.

He that takes time to think and consider will act more wisely than he that acts hastily and on impulse.—C. Simmons.

The mightiest powers by deepest calms are fed. B. W. Procter.

Since the world was, men have not heard with the ear, neither hath the eye seen, what God hath prepared for them that wait upon Him and work righteousness.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Patience does not mean indifference. We may work and trust and wait, but we ought not to be idle or careless while waiting.—Gail Hamilton.

Beautiful is the activity that works for good, and the stillness that waits for good; blessed the self-sacrifice of the one and the self-forgetfulness of the other.—R. Collier.

The average human body is covered with about 20 square feet of skin.

TIRED? STIFF?

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Planting Potatoes

The Proper Way To Cut Potatoes For Seed

What is the best way to cut potatoes when it comes time to plant them? They should not be cut into too many pieces, nor planted in too large chunks.

The proper way to cut potatoes for seed is to divide them into blocky seed pieces weighing from an ounce and a half to two ounces each and with each piece containing two eyes. The tuber's seed end, which contains the most eyes, should be split.

The number of seed pieces should be cut from any potato depends on its variety and on its size. For example a six to eight ounce tuber should make four seed pieces. A five ounce tuber can be cut into three pieces, two from the seed end and the other, the stem end of the tuber.

Captain Can't Float

Telephone Operator Had To Have An Explanation

The switchboard operator at the Prince Rupert Drydock one day received the following telephone call from the captain of a ship: "Will you please tell Mr. Halcrow I won't be in today. I can't float."

Somewhat surprised, the operator gave the message to Mr. Halcrow, who understood it perfectly. He explained that the captain's ship was on a grid and could not be floated out until the next high tide, hence his remark: "I can't float."

It's not the rust on a rusty nail that causes infection. A shiny nail can be just as dangerous if it carries germs.

A Fine Institution

Every Class Of People Is Served By Public Library

The public library is one of the finest institutions in the world. It serves every class of the people. And reports from the libraries of this continent show there is a larger volume of reading now than ever before in history. The libraries of the world have a great opportunity to guide the selection of the reading matter of youth by supplying the good and healthful literature that is historically true. There is a lot of rubbish printed and read, but there is also a lot of better reading than ever was published before.

Easy Way to Treat Sore, Painful Piles

Here is the chance for every person in Canada suffering from sore, itching, painful piles to try a simple home remedy with the promise of a reliable firm to refund the cost of the treatment if you are not satisfied with the results.

Simply get to any drugstore and get a bottle of Hem-flo and use as directed. Hem-flo is an internal treatment, easy and pleasant to use and pleasing results are quickly noticed. Itching and soreness are relieved, pain subsides and as the treatment is continued the sore, painful piles disappear, leaving the rectal membranes clean and healthy. Get a bottle of Hem-flo today and see for yourself what an easy, pleasant way this is to rid yourself of your pile misery.

NOTE: The sponsor of this notice is reliable firm, doing business in Canada for over 20 years, if you are troubled with sore, itching, painful piles, Hem-flo must help you quickly or the small purchase price will be fully refunded.

No Help Whatever

Gold The Germans Had Stored No Use As War Aid

Just about the most useless thing the Germans could have possessed in this war was all that gold they had cached in a salt mine. Not because they had it hidden a couple of thousand feet underground but because it was of no use to them in any place or in any form. Gold is in fact, the one "non-strategic" war metal, as our own Canadian metal regulations reveal. It will not serve as rations and is of no help in the provision of munitions or equipment.—Halifax Herald.

Sugar Rationing

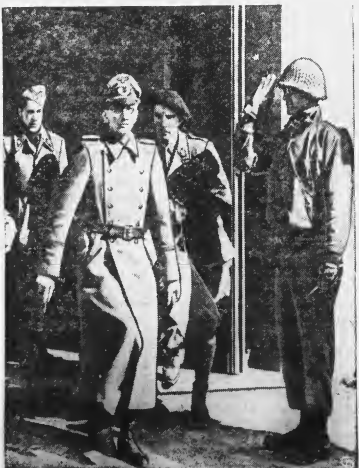
The Effect Of The War On Sugar Consumption

In the pre-war period, the United Kingdom was the largest consumer of sugar on a per capita basis, and Canada was the smallest, according to the second report of a special joint committee of the Combined Food Board, reporting on food consumption levels in the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom. In 1944 the United States is expected to have the largest per-capita consumption of sugars and syrups, and the United Kingdom the least. As all three countries are dependent upon offshore sources for a substantial portion of their sugar supply, some decline in consumption is to be expected during wartime. Reductions of about 10 per cent in the United States and Canada, and of approximately 30 per cent in the United Kingdom have occurred since the pre-war period. Sugar was rationed at an early date in all three countries, and the level of consumption has remained fairly constant since rationing became effective. Relatively small increases in consumption are expected in all three countries in 1944, as compared with 1943. Preliminary estimates for 1944 of food supplies entering into civilian consumption per year per head of population place the figures as follows: Sugars and syrups, United States, 94.9 lb.; Canada, 89.6 lb.; Britain, 75.6 lb. Pre-war figures were, United States, 106.7 lb.; Canada, 103.3 lb.; Britain, 109.7 lb.

TO RESTORE CHURCHES

The British Information Services reported that Britain's Protestant churches aim to raise £1,000,000 (\$4,500,000) for rehabilitation of churches and ministries in liberated Europe. The B.I.S. said the plan was made known in a statement from the Archbishop of Canterbury endorsed by the heads of all Protestant denominations in Britain.

The Andes in South America form the world's largest mountain chain.



PRISON CAMP COMMANDANT, PRISONER—Col. von Stern, commandant of Oflag 6A, a prison camp near Soest, Germany, was taken so completely by surprise when he was captured by these Yanks that he hadn't time to don his trousers. His long overcoat covers his naked legs.

EVENTS LEADING UP TO THE FINAL COLLAPSE OF GERMANY WILL BE TOLD BY HISTORIANS

(By Kirke L. Simpson, Associated Press War Analyst)

Military historians long will pour over the events leading up to the climactic week of Nazi debacle in Germany just past, seeking the key to the riddle of just what precipitated the final total collapse of the Wehrmacht.

At some point Nazi resistance became a planless, disintegrated thing. The superb staff work of the German army that had seen it through the desperate dangers of the retreat from the Volga to the Vistula and then the Oder in the east from the Rhine to the Rhine in the west at some point broke down utterly. The why and wherefore of that will interest military students for years. It can be gleaned only from captured German military documents of that period and the stories captured German officers of highest rank have to tell.

Already there are intimations in what such key figures of the German high command have had to say since their capture. They contend that to the end Hitler "intuition," substituted for the reasoned judgment of professional military opinion, and doomed the nation to the terrible fate that has fallen upon it. In retrospect failure of the "generals" plot to eliminate Hitler many months ago must go down as a tragic disaster for all Germany.

If it had succeeded the war could have been over in Europe long ago. Many a German city that now lies in utter ruin could have escaped that doom. Millions of men who have since died or been mangled in battle on both sides would have been spared, millions of others, men, women and children behind the lines, would have escaped untold horrors that Hitler fanaticism forced upon them.

Canadian Forces Will Engage In The Pacific War

OTTAWA. Canada's navy, army and air force will participate against the Japanese on a reduced scale with forces going to the new theatre on a revolutionary basis after 20 or 30 days leave at home following the end of the war against Germany.

The navy and air force units will cooperate closely with British forces while the army will be attached to the United States forces. All will likely be under supreme United States command.

The switch over will be a gradual process, with Pacific force build-up predicated on the availability of lines in the crowded Pacific area, the size of the force needed for occupational work in Europe, and not the least consideration, the availability of shipping.

Russian entrance into the war against Japan might conceivably cause a rearrangement of Canadian plans on the basis of more easily accessible bases being available in the North Pacific.

The Pacific requires few of the corvette frigates and minesweepers types of warcraft which make up the larger share of the Canadian navy. But officials believe it quite likely that many of this fleet will be kept busy for some time after European hostilities cease, hunting down "private" U-boats in the Atlantic.

The army has sent observers and specialists to the Pacific in much the same way they sent officers to North Atlantic before participating in Mediterranean action. Speculation has been that the army which operated a two division corps in Italy and now has a five-division two corps army in northwest Europe will operate a division against the Japanese with another division in reserve.

Most frequently mentioned name as commander of the Pacific formation is Maj-Gen. Dan Spry, 32, of Winnipeg and Halifax, youngest general in the Canadian army.

The air force, whose squadrons flew more than 26,000 action-packed sorties last year, will likely leave 10 or 11 fighter and bomber squadrons behind in Europe as part of the police force to fly "flag-showing" patrols over the British-occupied area.

Perhaps another 15 squadrons of fighters and bombers, retaining their old European battle-tried designations, will be switched to the Pacific with Air Vice-Marshal C. M. (Black Mike) McEwen, 48, Grimsby, Man., chief of Canada's bomber group, as the likely commander.

VERY EXPENSIVE

Registered Letter From China To Canada Costs Small Fortune

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C. It takes a small fortune to mail a registered letter from China to Canada these days. Pat Low, Prince George Chinese, received a registered letter from Chungking the other day. Postage on the envelope totalled \$262 in Chinese funds which is equal to \$16 in Canadian money.

Mr. Low is keeping the postage stamps which include two for \$100, 10 at \$5, one at \$10 and two at \$1.

BEING REVIEWED

Sugar Ration For Canadians Is Again Under Consideration

OTTAWA. Canada's sugar ration, reduced slightly a month or so ago by a switch in the validity dates of ration coupons, again is under review, it was learned.

The change of validity dates resulted in a reduction of two pounds per person per year in the ration, bringing the weekly allotment of eight ounces per person down slightly.

MAY TAKE NEW POST

LONDON. The Daily Express said in an unconfirmed report that Field Marshal Alexander may relinquish his command as supreme Allied commander in the Mediterranean theatre to return to London as head of the British control commission for Germany.



COMMANDS BASE. Naval officer in charge at the naval base, Esquimaut, B.C., is Capt. P. B. German, R.C.N., above.

MAY BE REMOVED

Announcement Regarding Freezing Order For Teachers Expected Shortly

OTTAWA. Arthur MacNamara, director of selective service, said Labor Minister Mitchell had recommended that the order freezing teachers to their jobs be rescinded, and that an announcement would be made shortly.

He was commenting upon a Victoria despatch saying the order freezing teachers in their profession will be rescinded Sept. 1. The despatch, he said, was "a little premature."

RECOVER ART TREASURES

WITH THE 5th ARMY INITIALLY

A collection of art treasures reported to be valued at \$10,000,000, which the Germans looted from museums in Florence, Rome and other cities, was recovered by a U.S. army investigator in a village near Vicenza.

STUDY ECONOMICS

Hudson's Bay Company To Award Scholarships To Canadians

LONDON. Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian high commissioner in London, announced that the Hudson's Bay Company will award two scholarships yearly to Canadians to enable them to study economic theory and business practice in Britain and another two to Britons to enable them to study the same subjects in Canada.

Making the announcement in an address at a luncheon celebration the 275th anniversary of the Hudson's Bay company, Mr. Massey said the scholarships would not only forge new links between Canada and the United Kingdom but "will bring new resources to bear on some of the most urgent problems of our time."

GIVES UP POST

New Duties Of Canada's Great Bombing Leader Not Specified

LONDON. Johnny Faupner, Canada's great bombing leader, who reverted to the rank of group captain from acting air commodore so he could get back in the air and lead the famed dam busting squadron, has relinquished command of that unit, the R.C.A.F. announced. His new duties were not specified.

The 36-year-old Ottawa airman who holds the D.S.O. with bar and D.F.C. with bar, relinquished the position of senior air staff officer at Canadian bomber group to take over the dam busters from Wing Cmdr. J. E. Tait, an Englishman who led the squadron on the attack which sank the battleship Tirpitz last November.

EASES CENSORSHIP

LONDON. British censorship lifted all restrictions of news stories relating to the movements of the Royal Family and the prime minister within the country.

BOMBER CREW MEMBERS RECALL BATTLE OF BERLIN AS ROUGHEST TARGET IN WORLD

TORONTO. News of the fall of Berlin probably touched off hectic celebrations in the messes of bomber command stations in Britain as bomber crew members recalled the day when the German capital, now officially "friendly" territory, was regarded as the roughest target in the world.

Canadian crewmen who took part in "the battle of Berlin" still remember the queer sinking feeling in the pit of their stomachs when "the big city" was named as the night's target. For, in addition to the tremendous anti-aircraft defences, the route lay in those days over German-held territory once the English Channel was crossed, and was crowded with fighters all the way.

The Germans really went all out to defend their capital and largest city and took a heavy toll of aircraft and men. But they could never stop the raids and today the city probably is little more than a huge area of rubble.

Few airmen in the high-flying bombers ever saw much of the city itself. To them it was a large built-up area sparkling with the brilliant colors of pathfinder flares dropped on it and racking with the flashes of exploding bombs.

Although all the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. raids were made at night there was little darkness in the skies above the city. German fighters dropped yellow magnesium flares literally by the hundreds. Then there were the flames of burning aircraft.

The first sight of the city was the opening of the flak batteries as pathfinder crews went in to mark the sky was full of vivid red flashes of exploding shells which filled an area of sky about 5,000 feet thick.

Sometimes when fighters were numerous the flak would be lowered until it made a carpet of flashes and bomb puffs below the incoming stream.

In addition there were all kinds of pyrotechnics, dummy fire sites, the spoof target indicators as the Nazis made every effort to confuse the bomb-aimers.

On many occasions attacks were made through "ten tents" cloud. Then there would be a soft white blanket below it easy with the glow of fires on the ground. But above the cloud the battle was the same as ever.

After March, 1944, bomber command discontinued mass raids with four-engined bombers and sent smaller fleets of Mosquito bombers in almost nightly nuisance raids.

These were also greatly effective because of accurate bombing and the Mosquitos' surprising load—heavy for a two-engined bomber—of 4,000-pound "cookies".

But the boys of the "heavies"—mostly Lancasters and Halifaxes—still like to shoot a line about "getting some Berlin hours in."

HOPE TO FIND A COMMON GROUND FOR AGREEMENT FOR WORLD SECURITY ORGANIZATION

SAN FRANCISCO. Reports that some Latin American countries desire United States France and Russia to give Argentina an official post in the United Nations security conference to sit in on the conference as conference men into opposition from the United States.

United States delegates, it was learned, have taken the stand that Argentina a late entry into the war, ought to prove she can be a "good neighbor" before she gets anything beyond admission to the conference.

The U.S. stand became evident while Russia was supporting a voting formula which would prevent a bloc of 21 American republics (including Argentina) from swaying conference decisions.

The Big Three leaders, Foreign Secretary Eden, State Secretary Stettinius and Soviet Commissar Molotov, met in conference and it was reported that voting procedure was one of the problems discussed.

While delegates looked to a last round of formal speeches in the opera house before taking the real work of cutting a pattern for a peaceful world, there were these additional developments:

At a news conference, M. Eadsall proposed international control of the Ruhr once the heart of Germany's war production mechanism, and called for closing Rhine invasion routes for all time.

While some seats still lie in the path of the conference, Archibald MacLachlan, assistant secretary of state predicted that the four sponsoring powers, Russia, China, Britain and the United States, will find "a common ground" of agreement on amendments to the Dumbarton Oaks blueprint for a world organization.

The conference vote problem shapes up this way: Forty-six nations now have bailed, and those of Argentina, White Russia and Ukraine will bring the figure to 49.

Several delegations besides the Russians it was learned are concerned over the fact that the United States and 20 Latin American countries, by voting solidly, could swing the balance of power on any issue requiring a two-thirds vote.

In fact with Liberia and the Philippines added they could come close to controlling a majority vote. Foreign Commissar Molotov referred directly to the inter-American bloc when he was defeated on delaying admission of Argentina to the conference.

TREASURE HOARD

Loot Found In Germany Double Amount Than Was First Estimated

PARIS. The great German treasure hoard found in the Merkes salt mine or hidden in bank vaults and under chicken coops in other Thuringian towns was estimated at fully 200 tons of gold.

This was double the original estimate of the booty seized by the Third Army April 7.

Fine gold is worth more than \$1,000,000 a ton. The actual value of the gold and the large four bags full of lost gold coins and currency won all over Europe has not yet been estimated authoritatively.



VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN—A shield and four cups, presented by W. A. Mather, vice-president of western line, Canadian Pacific Railway, Winnipeg, is spurring a drive of Canadian Pacific Railway employees from the head of the lakes to Vancouver Island in their eighth Victory Loan campaign. The railroaders rolled up more than \$4,000,000 in the last loan, and hope to top that mark this time, bringing their total subscriptions in all loans, including this one, to more than \$30,000,000. The shield at center above will be presented by Mr. Mather to the district of western lines, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta or British Columbia, which makes the most outstanding achievement in the eighth loan, while one of the four cups shown above will go to the division on each of these districts making the best showing on that district.

Prominent Personalities At World Security Conference



Prime Minister Mackenzie King on the way to the United Nations conference at San Francisco.



Soviet Foreign Commissar Molotov as he arrived in Washington, D.C., en route to the San Francisco conference. Pictured immediately following his arrival at Washington national airport are Molotov, left (glasses, hat in hand), and U.S. Secretary of State Edward Stettinius.



Prime Minister Jan Smuts of South Africa looks over the skyline of San Francisco shortly after his arrival by R.A.F. command plane, to attend the United Nations conference. General Smuts was one of the major drafters of the League of Nations covenant.

AUSTRALIAN LOAN

CANBERRA—The third Australian Victory Loan of \$100,000,000 (about \$325,000,000) has been over-subscribed Commonwealth Treasurer Joseph Chifley, who is acting prime minister, announced.

Bellevue To Celebrate Victoria Day With Sports, Parade, Crowning Of May Queen And Supporting Show

Feature Crowning May Queen; May-Pole Dance; Juvenile Sports and Parade. Bellevue Band in

in Attendance.

A grand Victoria Day celebration will be run by the Bellevue Lions club in Bellevue on May 24th.

This club has just recently received its Charter and this is its first public undertaking of any size. They have an active committee at work and honestly intend to give all the good people of this district a full day of entertainment and at the same time, they hope, without charging you too much, to make a good profit of the day.

The total net proceeds will be placed in a separate fund and, together with other money which they intend to raise in the near future, will be used by the Lions to build a much needed recreation hall in Bellevue.

The program for the day will be as follows:

10 a.m., Juvenile sports.

1.30 p.m., Parade for the May Queen and attendants together with costumes, floats, decorated cars, bicycles, etc.

2.30 p.m., The Big Event of the day, when the main show will be put on in the Bellevue arena. Some of the important features of the show will be the crowning of the May Queen, a May-pole dance, songs by the Blairmore Male Voice Party, Miss A. Drozdik and her violin, Ukrainian folk dances, May-time skit, and selections by the Bellevue Band.

Please, for your own sake, do not miss this great show.

6.30 p.m., Softball game, Bellevue Ladies Club versus Hillcrest Ladies Club.

9 p.m., Dance in the IOOF hall. With the well known Arcadians orchestra in attendance and the Lions in control you are guaranteed a real good time.

As mentioned above, the Lions intend to make a profit on the day, but at the same time they also intend to give you more than value for your money.

The only admission that you need to pay to the feature attraction (Big Show) is to buy one or more tickets on the Money Spread and if you buy these tickets soon enough then you will also give votes to your choice for May Queen. The contestants for May Queen are: Mary Petrin, Mary Adamec, Jean Fisher, Mary Stefanie and Clara White.

The voting for the May Queen will close at 6 p.m. Monday, May 21, and only ticket stubs that are in the hands of the Lion president, A. G. Haysom, at that time will be counted.

Tickets on the Money Spread will continue to be sold right up until the time of the draw. The draw will be made at the dance at midnight. The price of admission to the dance will be 50c per person.

Admission to the juvenile sports will be a 25c tag and this same tag will also admit the holder to the softball game in the evening.

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Proceeds to be used to erect a Recreational Centre for our returning Veterans and the citizens of this district. Date of drawing to be announced in the press. Don't delay. Act now! (\$80-45.



The Churches

A special Mother's Day program will be held in The Salvation Army hall on Sunday at 3 p.m. All mothers are welcome. Flowers will be presented.

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W. E. Brown, Rector

Daily offices:

Mattins 9 a.m. Evensong 7.30 p.m.

The Sunday after Ascension Day:

Young people's service 2 p.m. Evensong 7 p.m.

Wednesday:

Confirmation class 5 p.m.

War Intercession 7.30 p.m.

Choir practice 8 p.m.

Thanksgiving for Victory services were held at St. Alban's Monday at 7 p.m. and Holy Communion Tuesday at 8 a.m. Both services were well attended and a splendid spirit of thanksgiving and dedication prevailed.

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

G. A. Ketyls, Pastor

Sunday, May 13:

MOTHER'S DAY

Morning service at 11 a.m.

This service will be conducted by the Sunday school.

Evening worship at 7 p.m.

This will be a service of prayer and thanksgiving.

You are cordially invited.

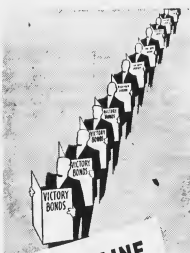
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Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister

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Let's Give Them Reason To Be Proud Of Coleman

Wonder if men from this community boast about Coleman? We hope they do. We hope they're proud of their home town; proud of the part that we, here in Coleman are playing in the home front war effort.

Let's make sure about this. Let's put our objective for the 8th Victory Loan over in a way that will make this community talked about.

Let's make Coleman's Victory Bond sales good news for the Coleman men over there.

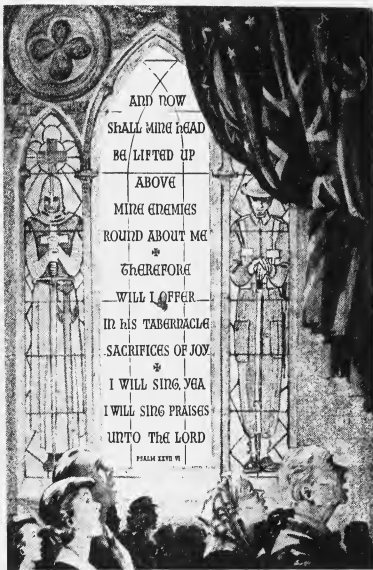
LET'S ALL BUY MORE VICTORY BONDS THIS TIME

PUBLISHED BY THE LOCAL WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE

Soldiers' Letters

Holland, April 22, 1945.
The Editor:
Just a few lines to let you know

that all's o.k. here and that I received 7 Journals in the past 4 days, and it's sure nice to read the home town news and get back into the picture again.



T. EATON CO.

First of all I want to thank the Legion for the cigarettes (600) I received yesterday and that they're coming in well and that I've missed about 1 parcel through enemy action since I came overseas, so that's a perfect record for 3 1/2 years. I would also like to thank the Jankulak family for the Sweet Caps which arrived a few days ago.

I must say I spent a lovely leave in England with my wife and son after a year and a half in Italy and was sure pleased and proud to see my son for the first time. He is a year and a half old and sure a big fella, too. While home on leave in England I met Challice Eycoff in London and he was on leave, too. My wife and son are awaiting transport to Coleman now, but we have no idea how long it will take to get them there as there's a lot of red tape and channels to go through.

I must say I've really done some travelling since I've been in the Army. I've been in every country nearly that the Canadians have been in. I've been in England, Scotland, Wales, Sicily, Italy, France, Holland, Belgium and Germany, and my choice out of the works is Canada, ho-ho, yes sir! There's no place like it and at the moment the news says the Russians are fighting in Berlin, so it might not be very long before it's over. Of course, right now my biggest worry is how long it's going to take me to get home after it's over, as it's in the bag now.

I met Bill Russell here in Holland just before I went on leave and we had quite a little chat. I'm keeping my eyes open for some of the Colemans that I haven't seen for a few years, but so far no luck.

I must say it gives me real pleasure in seeing Germany all battered up after what he gave us in England and it's a real treat to fight and ruin something of theirs instead of the countries we've fought over. I will truthfully say these countries here have had a picnic as far as the ruins go compared to that of Italy and lots of the places here are just like "civic street" at home and you'd never know a war had passed over them. In Belgium the stores had nearly anything to sell from candy galore and up and more than England ever had during the war rationing. Where Italy on the other hand had nil and the majority of Italy is smashed to the ground and every yard fought for and seeing it is the only way of believing.

I often think how nice it's going to be to sit in the Legion and "slugg a pint" and talk over old times. I'll bet there'll be some swell arguments, eh?

We're very busy at the time and there's lots I'd like to tell you, but "security" stops it, so will tell you all better when we get back to Canada again.

There'll be a lot of the gang going back on the point system soon and in a couple of months time I'll be eligible, too, and boy, I'm just

keeping my fingers crossed and patiently waiting my turn to come.

Well, I'll say Cheerio for now and a special hello to Mom and Dad and will be back soon with that Victory we came here to get, ho-ho.

L/Cpl. Caroe, L. A.
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WEDDINGS

GIBSON—LUNN

On Thursday, April 26, at the United Church manse, the marriage of Edward Gerald Gibson and Muriel Joyce Lunn, both of Burnis, was solemnized, Rev. G. A. Kettys officiating.

The bride was daintily attired in an afternoon frock of valiant blue sheer with matching accessories.

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Mrs. Wilfred Thompson, of Burnis, as matron of honor, chose for the occasion an ensemble of green and black sheer. Mr. Thompson was

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Mr. and Mrs. Gibson will reside at Burnis, where the former is employed.

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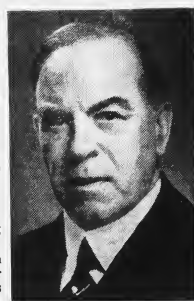
Opportunities for ALL

YOUR Liberal Government under Mackenzie King has taken practical steps to see that every Canadian after the war shall have a wide-open chance to make a real success of his life. It can be done by giving everybody the opportunity to get ahead faster and go further.

Isn't that what you want — a chance to make your own way IN your own way?

Here are definite, practical steps which the Liberal Government has taken (not just talked about, but *taken*) to make this Canada a better place to work in and bring up your children.

You will have to decide whether you want the men who devised these measures to carry them through, or whether you wish to entrust your own and your family's future to others.



Mr. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister

1 Reconstruction

Plans for jobs for 900,000 more workers than in 1939; and 60,000 more each year as the population grows. Every kind of enterprise will be encouraged. The Liberal Government has already set up the machinery: the Department of Reconstruction.

2 Foreign Trade

Liberal objective: Sixty percent increase in value over Canada's pre-war export trade. This means thousands of jobs, and is based on the number of jobs created by Canada's normal export trade.

3 Credit for Enterprise

The Liberal Government set up the Industrial Development Bank to provide money at low interest for long terms to help enterprising Canadians to develop new business. Another step towards creating full employment.

4 Exports Encouraged

War-torn countries will want to buy tremendous quantities of Canadian goods. To facilitate this, the Liberal Government has set up the Export Credit Insurance Act to do two things: (1) to insure Canadian exporters against loss, and (2) to make loans to foreign governments under contract to Canadian exporters.

5 Farm Improvement Loans

Your Liberal Government has made low interest loans available to farmers to finance their work and make improvements.

6 Guaranteed Markets

To provide farmers with a better wartime income, the Liberal Government made contracts for definite quantities of important products at agreed prices—notably bacon, eggs, cheese and beef. These contracts have worked out so well the Liberal Government extended many for longer periods.

7 Family Allowances

From July next, Family Allowances are to be paid monthly to assist parents in raising their children—\$250,000,000 a year direct spending power in the hands of people who need it most.

8 New Homes for Canadians

The Liberal Government's new \$400,000,000 National Housing Act enables hundreds of thousands of Canadians to own their own homes. In the first year after Germany's defeat, at least 50,000 dwellings will be built.

9 Returning Veterans

Gratuities, benefits and grants of \$750,000,000 will enable men and women of the Armed Services to apply their energies in building the prosperous Canada for which our Liberal Government has been planning.

10 Floor Prices under Fish and Farm Products

To protect farmers and fishermen and to maintain prices, the Liberal Government has provided floor prices under their products. Prosperous farmers and fishermen make a prosperous Canada.

11 Better Labour Conditions

In co-operation with organized Labour, the Liberal Government has confirmed collective bargaining, provided unemployment insurance, appointed labour representatives on government boards. (More than 600,000 workers, because of the Liberal Government's attitude towards Labour and the labour movement, now get annual vacations with pay.)

12 Reduction in Taxation

The Liberal Government will gradually reduce taxation when the European war is over to free spending power and to give Canadians every opportunity for prosperity, employment and freedom.

What you have done in war—you can do in peace. You can do your part by supporting the Liberal Candidate in your constituency.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Emile Vaillancourt, Canada's first ambassador to Cuba, arrived recently in Havana by plane from Ottawa.

Britain's 7,750 children killed in German air raids will have their own war memorial - a new children's ward in London's St. Thomas hospital.

In recognition of his services to the nation, the city council of Cardiff, Wales, decided to confer the freedom of the city on Prime Minister Churchill.

The Overseas League Tobacco Fund, organized at the beginning of the war and now Dominion wide, has sent 225,000,000 cigarettes overseas to Canadian forces.

Gen. Chen Cheng, Chinese war minister, estimated Chinese casualties from the outbreak of the war with Japan in July, 1937, until March, 1945, had reached 3,100,000.

Joseph Mallender, famous gardener whose bulbs and plants were sent to all parts of the world, died in Redford, Eng., a few days before his 100th birthday.

When bomb-disposal crews tackled a captured aerial in Belgium they found 8,000 mines of all types. All were removed without a single casualty. It has been announced.

Dr. Wendell M. Stanley of Rockefeller Institute and Princeton University has developed a new influenza vaccine believed to be ten times as effective as a previous preventive for the disease.

A deed recorded before a deputy U.S. consul in Liverpool, England, 40 years ago has been filed in the registry of deeds at Portland, Me. It transfers a plot of land on Long Island to a Portland man.

Canadian Wheat

Survey Of Wheat Stocks Held On Canadian Farms

According to the annual March survey of grain held on farms, the stocks of Canadian wheat in all the North American positions on March 31, 1945, were 502,977,891 bushels, of which 24,076,406 bushels were held in bond in the United States representing a decline of 42.6 million bushels from March 31, 1944. The bulk of the Canadian wheat stocks is held in country elevators and on farms, with 180 million bushels or 38 per cent of the total, in country elevators and 154 million bushels, or 32 per cent, on farms. A year ago there were 195 million bushels of wheat in country elevators and an estimated 210 million bushels on farms. Farm stocks have thus declined by 56 million bushels despite a much better crop in 1944 than in 1943 and the reduced use of wheat for live-stock feed. More generous delivery quotas in the Prairie Provinces have permitted farmers to move more grain into commercial channels. Farm stocks of wheat in the Prairie Provinces accounted for 149 million bushels of the total 154 million bushels held on farms. The quantity of wheat on farms in Manitoba is estimated at 14 million bushels; in Saskatchewan at 90 million bushels, and in Alberta at 45 million bushels. From this grain will be taken seed for the 1945 crop and fed for live stock and poultry during the remaining third of the crop year, leaving the balance available for delivery or carry-over at July 31.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"I hope you don't mind, Mrs. Burns, but Archie won't allow anybody to walk on his lawn with high-heeled shoes." 2619

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
MAY 13THE TRAGEDY OF THE
NORTHERN KINGDOM

Memory Selection: Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. Galatians 6:7.

Lesson: 1 Kings 12-22; 2 Kings 1-10; 15; 17-8.

Devotional Reading: Amos 5:6-15.

1 KINGS 12:26 And Jeroboam said in his heart, Now will the kingdom return to the house of David: 27 If this people go up to offer sacrifices in the house of Jehovah at Jerusalem, then will the heart of this people turn again unto their lord, even unto Rehoboam king of Judah; and they will kill me, and return to Rehoboam king of Judah. Whereupon the king took counsel, and made two calves of gold, and he said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem: behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. 28 And he set the one in Beth-el, and the other put he in Dan. 30 And this thing became a sin; for the people went to worship before the one, even unto Dan.

16:30 And Ahab the son of Omri did that which was evil in the sight of Jehovah above all that were before him. 31 And it came to pass, as if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, that he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Sidonians, and went and served Baal, and worshipped him. 32 And he reared up an altar for Baal in the house of Baal, which he had built in Samaria. 33 And Ahab made the Asherah; and Ahab did yet more to provoke Jehovah, the God of Israel, to anger than all the kings of Israel that were before him.

19:1 And Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and withal how he had slain all the prophets with the sword. 2 The Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah, saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make not thy life as the life of one of them by tomorrow about this time. 3 And when he saw that, he arose, and went for his life, and came to Beersheba, which belongeth to Judah. 4 And he left his servant there; 5 that he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a juniper tree; and he requested for himself that he might die, and said, It is enough, now, O Jehovah, take away my life; for I am not better than my fathers.

13 And behold, there came a voice unto him, and said, What dost thou here, Elijah? 14 And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets with the sword, and I, even I only am left, and they seek my life, to take it away.

15 And Jehovah said unto him, Go, return on thy way to the wilderness of Damascus; and when thou comest thither, shall an angel say unto thee, Arise, and eat, and drink: for thou shalt not die. 16 And the son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah shall thus answer to thee, saying, Thus saith Jehovah, the God of Israel, I have said, I will leave thee, and thou shalt not die. 17 And it shall come to pass that thou shalt escape from the sword of Hazael shall Jehu slay; and him that shall slay Hazael, shall Elisha slay. 18 Yet will I leave me Elisha in Israel, all the knees which have not bowed unto Baal, and every mouth which hath not kissed him.

A UNIQUE GIFT

Field Marshal Smuts took him to London where he attended the British Commonwealth talk a unique gift for Premier Churchill. It was an ashtray made from an old pear tree which the field marshal used to climb as a boy. The gift comes from some prominent citizens living in and around Malmesbury in South Africa.

EASILY CORRECTED

Honey, jam and jelly often become hard and sugary after being stored away for some time. Such a condition is easily corrected. Simply place the jar in a warm pot of hot water and let it remain until the sugar melts and the honey or jam is smooth again.



TORTURER EXECUTED - Josef Kramer, the S.S. Storm Group leader, who was the commandant of the Belzen death camp, is shown under guard with chains on his ankles. British troops found 60,000 dead, dying and starving people, victims of unbelievable tortures by their Nazi captors. Kramer has been tried and executed according to report.

Left Fortune Behind

Germans Overlooked \$100,000 When They Fled From Holland Town

A party of Nijmegen, Holland, found that his safe was anything but bare when he recently returned to his home after the Germans had left. Par from looting it, the Germans had left him a tidy sum in loot.

Fearful about looting the safe, it might have been holed by the Germans to check it and open it for him. They did so and found inside 985,000 Dutch guilders, or the equivalent of nearly \$400,000, left behind by the Germans.

The money has been turned over to the Dutch authorities, but the notary may be rewarded with a percentage cut.

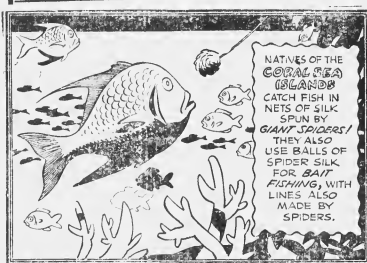
DELICACY FROM SIBERIA

Swans from Siberia are being sold in London as food. To escape the Russian winter they fly to Iceland where they are shot, sold to Britain and finally appear as a delicacy in West End restaurants. The birds are about the size of a turkey when plucked.

Forty-eight per cent of all patents submitted for approval by the U.S. patent office in a recent 12 year period were turned down.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



REG'LAR FELLERS—Super-Salesman

The Junior Chamber Of
Commerce Nation-Wide

An Organization Of Young Canadian Men, With Branches East And West

What is the Junior Chamber of Commerce? What are its aims and objects? It is a nation-wide organization of young Canadian men, with branches in over one hundred cities and towns stretching from Halifax to Vancouver. Its aim is to weld together young men of Canada through encouragement of self-development and participation in activities. Its objects to develop in young men a greater interest in public affairs and projects that will improve our communities and our country. Our members have now adopted the familiar title of Jaycees.

The self-development phase of our activities, covers such programs as public speaking classes, business management and salesmanship classes, and other study groups where members with a common interest have the opportunity to discuss subjects that interest them. In addition to this there is the experience gained in committee work in connection with the various projects undertaken.

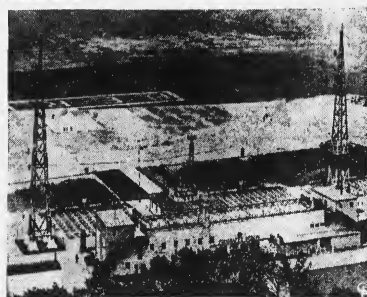
In the field of civic and community activities, Junior Chambers have undertaken many projects of value to their respective communities, such as: Mosquito Control; Get Out The Vote; Anti-V.D.; Boys' and Girls' Work; Traffic Safety and City Beautification.

With over 6,000 of our members in the Armed Forces one of the urgent tasks to which we have set ourselves this year is the rehabilitation of members of the services. We feel as all good Canadians must feel, that we have a personal responsibility to the men who are serving overseas.

On the home front there is hardly a phase of the war effort that has not been assisted by members of the Junior Chamber. Ten thousand members from coast to coast are working through combined efforts to help the war effort by active participation in Blood Donor, War Services, Victory Loan, Community Chest, Red Cross and many other campaigns.

The Saskatchewan Junior Chamber is an organization composed of 14 affiliate groups in the province comprising a membership of over 1,000 young men between the ages of 20 and 40. It is known as Region 3 of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Canada, and this year is represented on the National Executive by a Vice-President and a National Director.

Realizing that as the fathers of the coming generation they have a vital stake in the community and that to them will be given the responsibility of implementing a successful peacetime economy, the Junior Chamber of Commerce through leadership training aspires to fulfill its obligation to our Country and Community. How we can fulfill this obligation will be the theme of our discussions this year when we meet at our tenth annual provincial convention at Regina on May 12 and 13.



BERLIN AIRPORT—The Tempelhof Airport in Berlin is captured by the Soviets.

Receives Many Letters

Just Four Classes

People From All Over World Have Written General Eisenhower

Few motion-picture stars ever received such a torrent of letters and gifts as does the supreme commander of the Allied Expeditionary Force.

People from all parts of the world send General Eisenhower such things as tooth brushes, gingerbread, cigarettes, and sweaters. Occasionally there are epidemics of certain gifts. Once he was swamped by honey grigs, which he turned over to hospitals. Another time, for no discernible reason, there was a plethora of four-leaf clovers.

Many of the letters received by General Eisenhower have the opposite purpose: the writers want something. Mostly they ask for autographs or pictures. Some would appreciate receiving the general's battle-jacket, a five-star cluster, his necktie. Youngsters beg for German helmets, uniforms or pistols. One small boy asked for a "genuine Tiger tank." New York Herald Tribune.

A TIDY PROWLER

Before dawn a prowler entered Mrs. J. P. Woodward's home in Dallas, Texas, went to the kitchen and cooked a meal. After eating, the prowler washed the dirty dishes, stacked them neatly on the drain-board, and left. Mrs. Woodward slept through it all.

Alaska has a 35,000 mile coastline, about 10,000 miles greater than the circumference of the earth.

One Correspondent Gives His Own Description Of Conquered Germans

Conquered Germans display varied reactions. One correspondent says they consist chiefly of four classes—smilers, ignorers, smilers and wavers. Mixed amongst them are a lot of snipers, too. The snipers are dyed-in-the-wool Nazis whom nothing can convince that the present conquest of their homeland is more than a temporary rupture.

The ignorers treat Americans, British and Canadians as if they did not exist. When they approach on the narrow sidewalks of Emmerich they won't give an inch. The smilers are mostly elderly people who rejoice that the war is about over. The wavers even give the V-sign to Allied troops racing past in trucks and tanks. The snipers are shot. Vancouver Sun.

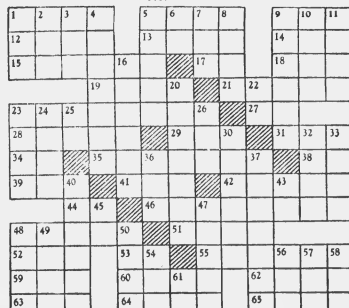
COST GROWING UP

Your Life Magazine says that in the Roman wars the cost of man-killing was about 75 cents, but by the time Napoleon had become a specialist at it the cost had mounted to \$3,000. In World War I it had increased to \$21,000, which was \$16,000 more than it was in our own Civil War. Estimates now place the cost of killing the enemy in World War II at approximately \$50,000 each.

More than 6,000,000 tons of sugar are consumed by Americans in a normal year, with 4,600,000 tons of this amount being imported.

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BY GENE BYRNES



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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—**NO INTEREST**

By JEAN CAMERON

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

"So you've been visiting the little pigs again?" asked Owen Roberts, sitting up and removing his hat from before his face.

"Oink," said the baby. "Oink, oink."

"Go in the house and say that to your grandmother," warned Owen, "and she'll probably serve you up for dinner with an apple in your mouth." Martha who had come out with a jar of jelly and a plate of fresh butter from the oven, gave him a hard poke. "Stop reminding your young est," she commanded. "I'm glad you're awake. I've just heard the full story of Jane's uncle's will, and now I want your advice."

Owen was down, his face covered, before she finished speaking. "This is my vacation," he said drily, vaguely putting out a hand for a lum. "I don't want to hear about inheritances and legacies. I don't want to solve crimes or legal problems. I've no interest in Uncle Will."

"Not Uncle Will, her uncle's will," corrected Martha. "That's what he said."

"Who?"

"Mr. Blake said he was putting his money in a bank that paid no interest. Now they can't find it, and you know how hard up Jane's family is. She's postponed her wedding twice because her teaching salary is practically all they have to live on. He left a good estate, too, if it could be located."

Owen sat up. "That's a shame. Jane seems like a nice girl."

"You mean she tickled your vanity by praising the children outrageously. Owen, honey, with all you know about banks—"

"That is, I have presented a couple of bank robbers in the course of my checkered career. Martha, you haven't given me a thing to go on. Didn't the old duffer leave a bank book?"

"Well, the truth is he was rather queer during the latter part of his life. He lost quite a lot of money ten years ago, and ever after he did plenty of talking about how he was outwitting the bankers. He even opened accounts under different

names. They've found two of those, but they were awfully tiny. And then he kept saying he'd selected a bank that was safe enough because it promised no interest, and that was the best way to hoard for food like the squirrels, whereas men hoard for gain and lose everything, and that it was unnatural to expect money to grow, and so on."

Owen swallowed an entire bun. "It sounds to me," he ejaculated with some difficulty, "as though he had a savings deposit box instead of an account."

"That's clever of you. But they've thought of that already, and they can't locate any box of his in the towns near by. And Uncle never travelled. He was content with his farm and his books."

"We ought to vote for a law requiring photographs on all bank books and deposit boxes," Owen grumbled. "Think how useful that would be. And he left no papers, will anything?"

"Just a letter for Jane's father. It said exactly what I told you he'd been advising people for a long while: That he dealt with a bank that paid no interest no matter how much time there was and to remember the squirrels and not to expect unusual gains. They thought it was rather involved, and yet except for his hatred of banks and his fear of thieves Uncle Blake was a remarkably clever businessman."

"No interest bank time time. I know a bank where the will thyme blooms," Martha said.

"What on earth are you jumping about?"

"Bank bank woman! Thyme time thyme is an aromatic herb. Isn't there a great patch in the garden near here? What about the Blake farm? And doesn't the river run through Mr. Blake's property?"

"Thyme? Why, of course, they grow some. And you know perfectly well the river is there. You saw it yesterday. Owen, what ARE you driving at? You don't mean..."

"So Jane is a teacher, eh?" She ought to get married. What would a man who hated banks do, one who was afraid to write too plainly for fear the letter would fall into the wrong hands? Squirrels squirrels, holed in hollow trees, and there certainly wouldn't be any interest. Martha, phone Jane, ask her if there's any possible hiding place a cave or some hollow trees in the river bank near the thyme patch. Ask her..."

he lay back resignedly, for Martha had already disappeared into the house.

She was back in a moment, pink with excitement. "Oh, Owen, that must be it! Why, there's even a hollow tree that Jane and her brother used to play in when they were little. And her father is just famous at himself. He knows that Shakespeare quotation. He says it's so plain and simple he can't understand why they didn't see it right away. Oh, take that smirk off your face! I'm going to stick beside the phone till Jane calls back."

Owen sighed with pleasure and threw an arm over his face. "And I'm going to stay right here and veggie," he murmured. "Wake me Saturday." He sighed again, rolled over, then stuffed at the sound of loud snorts. "Martha! He shouted, leaping up. "Martha! Michael's let all the baby pigs out and he's sitting in a puddle."

SELECTED**RECIPES**

Once a week, for a real change of scenery, why not introduce a foreign dish into your menus? For an original touch serve chop suey. It is a meal in itself needs only a salad to complete the picture.

CHOP SUEY MODERNE

- 2 cups boiling water
 - 3 bouillon cubes
 - 2 tablespoons soy sauce
 - 1 pound dried fresh pork
 - 1 cup flour
 - 1 cup mushrooms (1 oz. can)
 - 1 cup sliced onion
 - 3 cups celery strips
 - 3 tablespoons butter
 - 4 cups oven popped rice cereal
- Pour boiling water over bouillon cubes and soy sauce to make stock. Brown meat in heavy frying pan. Blend in flour, remove from heat and stir in stock slowly. Add mushrooms and onion on juice onion and celery. Cover and cook slowly about 30 minutes, stirring occasionally to prevent sticking. Melt butter, pour over oven popped rice and heat thoroughly in oven or over low heat, stirring frequently. Serve Chop Suey around a mound of hot buttered oven-popped rice. Yield: 5 one-cup servings.

* Mushrooms may be omitted

WISDOM OF SAVING

Ten years ago a housewife in Kitchener, Ont., started putting aside the 50c pieces which came into her possession. The other day they bought a house and made a down-payment of \$870, all of it in 50c pieces which filled three large bags weighed 45 pounds, and surprised even her husband.

**NAZI GIVEN SEVEN YEARS**

Former assistant chief of Hitler Youth movement in Cologne, Joseph Mengele is said to be sentenced to seven years in prison. He also assessed various fines by an Allied military government tribunal for destroying the files of the Hitler Jugend and giving false information regarding existence of other files. He will spend his time in a former Gestapo jail.

Value Of Books

Many People Find Reading A Shield Against Most Ills

Books are life-savers and mind-soothers for men and women everywhere in the world in these lonely wartime days. They are all that poets and philosophers have said of them. They are "a shield against the ills of life, however things might go amiss." They are "the surest relief in the most melancholy moments." They are "the same firm friends the same refreshment rich" these "silent, soothing companions in solitude."—New York Times.

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QUITE A PUZZLE

More than 480,000,000 farthings—worth about half a cent each in Canadian money—have been issued since they were introduced in 1860 but there are very few in circulation now. The Royal mint is puzzled.

The first Ironclad war vessel was built by Admiral Yi Sun Sin of Korea in 1594.

The Big Moment

Comes When Boy Makes First Fishing Trip In Spring

Small boys grow to be men and gather about themselves fishing tackle and equipment which is their pride and joy. They brag about it and show it off, in and out of season, and add to it, bit by bit. Then they go out on fine big fishing trips which cost them money and they do a lot of fishing, etc., and come home and tell about it. They also catch fish—big fish, middle-sized fish and the fish that got away. They catch so many fish that the family can't eat them all and they give them away to their friends. And they are fishermen until their dying day. But we doubt that ever, in all the annals of the habitual fishermen, is there a day that will compare with the first warm day in spring when he peels a willow wand and tied a string on the end, when he spent a nickel for hooks and sinker and dug a canful of worms from his mother's flower bed and set out for "the crick."

When War Started

Britain Had Only One Drop-Hammer For Airplane Work

British members of Parliament, like the rest of the nation and the world know of course, that Britain at the outbreak of war was appallingly lacking in land armaments and that her great steel works were without ready means of producing them in mass.

They had taken comfort as well as pride in the herism of the small but superbly efficient R.A.F., whose Spitfires saved the country by blasting the Luftwaffe from the skies over England in its first invasion attempt.

Therefore many who were not in the know were startled when Oliver Lyttelton, Minister of Production, in a "how it can be told" speech recently disclosed that Britain in those dark days had only one drop-hammer capable of forging the crankshaft of a Spitfire engine. A drop hammer is used for stamping out metal to shape while cold.

GARDEN NOTES

Where Garden Is Small

Where space is very limited one can economize by planting peas in a double row about 6 to 10 inches apart. As the vines develop the rows are dug under to give the other vegetables more room.

To save space with corn, one can interplant with other vegetables like cucumbers, melons or squash or pumpkins. A seed or two of the latter is planted with the hills of corn. Tomatoes have a special claim on the small garden because they are so much nicer fresh, and it is handy having these useful vegetables or fruits right at the door. Tomatoes should be staked and especially so in small gardens. Drive a 6 foot stake beside each hill. Put off all side shoots as the plant grows, and tie main stem loosely every foot or so to the stake. Staked tomatoes ripen earlier and are much cleaner. They can also be grown about 18 inches apart, whereas unstaked vines should have three feet for good results.

Protection

In a few hours insects or disease can destroy the work of weeks, and so experts advise all gardeners to be on the lookout for pest damage of any kind and to keep some delinquent material on hand. The best protection, of course, is a healthy garden, one that is well cultivated, free of weeds and growing fast. Cultivation alone will do wonders and in poor soil it will not do any harm to add a little commercial fertilizer just to speed things along. The healthy growth resulting will withstand most attacks, but not always.

Sometimes there is a combination of unusually unfavorable weather, hot and full of moisture. This breeds fungus disease the kind that rusts hollyhocks and mildews roses and makes black spots on beans. Fine powdered sulphur will check the first two but is not advisable for the beans. The best guard against that is healthy seed in the first place, then keep out of the bean patch when the weather is damp.

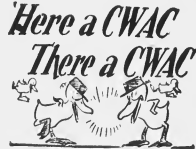
Healthy seed will also help to guard against rot in potatoes and other vegetables, and soaking same in a solution of potassium permanganate will also help. For most bugs a good commercial spray or dust, easily applied with a cheap sprayer can be shaken on from a porous bag will soon bring things under control. The important thing, agree those that know, is to get the counter measures started at the first sign of trouble.

MANY STAR SYSTEMS

There are approximately 75,000,000 star systems similar to the Milky Way within the range of modern telescopes, according to an estimate of a prominent astronomer.

The most dangerous temperature for the formation of ice on aircraft are those between 20 and 34 degrees Fahrenheit.

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**PROMOTED—**

Pte. Meta England, Bradwell, Sask. has recently been promoted to the rank of lance corporal in the C.W.A.C. Enlisting in March 1944, L-Cpl. England took basic training at Kitchener, Ont., and is now doing stenographic work at National Defence Headquarters in Ottawa. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John England, Bradwell, she was employed in an aircraft factory prior to her enlistment.

GRADUATE—

Several Western girls were included in the group of CWACs graduating from the latest clerks' course held at the C.W.A.C. Basic Training Centre in Kitchener, Ont. Included among them were: Ptes. M. M. Berard, Leith, Man.; A. C. Dale, Saskatoon; N. P. A. Davidson, Big Valley, Alta.; V. R. Sinclair, Alingay, Sask.

SELECTED—

Capt. Vera Leckie, Saskatoon, has attained the honor of being the first Saskatchewan CWAC to attend the junior war staff course at Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont. Capt. Leckie also has several other firsts to her name. Enlisting in December, 1941, she went to St. Anne de Bellevue in the first CWAC basic training class held there. As an advance party of one she was the first member of the C.W.A.C. to set foot in Dundurn Military Camp in May, 1942. At that time she held the rank of corporal and was in charge of a detachment of 50 CWACs. She has once again upheld her record for firsts with her recent selection to attend the junior war staff course at Kingston.

CWACs SMILED—

Even monasteries are not immune to CWACs it seems. Capt. Gillian Hessey White, C.W.A.C. Montreal, Que., recently spent six hours in one without the knowledge of its inmates however. With British War Correspondent Evelyn Irons, she became one of the first two women to enter the Trappist Monastery in Holland since it was built half a century ago. Cooling system trouble in the car in which they were driving sent them to the nearest R.E.M.E. workshop in the district and it happened to be inside the monastery. While the mechanics worked the women got out of the car and looked

around. A brown-robed, red bearded friar, working in the garden looked at them in horror and disappeared. A friar hurried up and told them women were strictly not allowed and would they please leave. This caused a dilemma. Rain was pouring down and the mechanics said fixing the car would be an all day job. Outside the monastery walls they held a council of war and the R.E.M.E. officials decided to smuggle them into the medical inspection room. There they were, virtually imprisoned for six hours until the car was repaired—thus becoming the first women, imprisoned or otherwise to enter the monastery in all its fifty years.

MEET A CWAC—

There are, at present, five CWAC laboratory technicians employed in Saskatchewan. Sgt. Betty McCusker, Lloydminster, is one of them. Bacteriology, blood chemistry and blood counts are all daily topics to her. Prior to joining the C.W.A.C., Sgt. McCusker attended the University of Saskatchewan in Saskatoon and had completed one year in specialized work there with a view to specializing in that field. In the army she was fortunate enough to be posted to that work and given the opportunity to continue her studies. Last year she received a three-month laboratory course at the University of Toronto and later became the first Saskatchewan CWAC to take a newly available course in parasitology at the C.W.A.C. Basic Training Centre, Bellevue. Sgt. McCusker, who comes from something of a military family, enlisted in May, 1943. Her father who was recently retired after four years service in this war, served chiefly as a company commander in Regina and later in Prince Albert. Her brother is overseas with the Manitoba Dragoons.

SHELL SAY IT EVERYTIME—

Pte. Buttercup, "hear Pte. Colymbine has to go on "pull parade." Penelope CWAC: Yes, the blood donors caught her with her iron down!

CONSCIENCE MONEY

"A little conscience money (ten dollars) for service rendered by the C.N.R. and not paid for by the writer" was the text of a letter received by P. S. Chalmers, regional treasurer, at Winnipeg. The letter, which did not reveal the name of the writer, was signed simply: "Praise The Lord," and stated that an acknowledgment in a local newspaper would be appreciated. The Winnipeg postmark on the letter indicated that it was mailed April 24 at 1 p.m.



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DOUBLE PROGRAM

Jon HALL and Leon ERROL in

"Invisible Man's Revenge"

also Jimmy LYDON and Vera VAGUE in

"Henry Aldrich Plays Cupid"

Cole's Theatre, Bellevue

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, May 12, 14 and 15

Cary GRANT and John GARFIELD, in

"DESTINATION TOKYO"

A realistic war picture. Life in a submarine in the Pacific
also NEWS and NOVELTY

Orpheum Theatre, Blairmore

Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, May 12, 14 and 15

Donald O'CONNOR and Peggy RYAN, in

"THIS IS THE LIFE"

Comedy with Music.

Also Shorts and Cartoon.

Local News

Mrs. George Sharp is visiting her sister at Barons.

Mr. James Fairhurst is confined to his home due to sickness.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cameron on Wednesday, May 2, a son.

Hugh McLellan enlisted in the Canadian active army on April 30 at Calgary.

Mrs. Ed. Hutton and family have left for Kaslo, BC, where Mr. Hutton is employed.

Mr. Jack Root, Mrs. Ralph Root, Audrey and Lillian visited at Travers during the Victory holiday.

Miss Edith Ash, of Calgary, spent two days holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ash.

St. Alban's Ladies Guild's annual bazaar will be held on Saturday, Nov. 3. Please reserve this date.

Mike Ziajka suffered a compound fracture of his leg while at work on May 7. He is now a patient in the local hospital.

Mrs. E. Fontana and daughter have returned home following a vacation spent with relatives at South Sloam, BC.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Moores have purchased the Mrs. J. S. Rogers home on Sixth street and have now taken up residence there.

Born: To F.O. J. H. S. Moffitt (overseas) and Mrs. Moffitt (nee Audrey Halliwell) at Macleod hospital on May 4, a daughter, Jacqueline.

Mrs. J. Yorganson, of Granum, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Vale. Mrs. H. Masten and Mrs. Wm. Clark are sisters of Mrs. Yorganson.

Mr. Walter Nelson has returned home after visiting at Nelson, where he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Jennings, and her husband.

The Journal acknowledges with thanks renewal subscriptions received during the week from Mrs. George Brown, of Lacombe, and J. J. Hadley, of Calgary. Both send their best regards to Coleman friends.

Miss Adeline Van Maarion left on Friday for Calgary where she will enter the employ of Calgary Power Co. as stenographer. She formerly held a similar position with the East Kootenay Power Co. at Sentinel.

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FAMILY ALLOWANCES

AND INCOME TAX

THE following announcement will help to clarify the relationship between Family Allowances and Income Tax credits for dependent children. Family Allowances are payable from July 1st, 1945, and the registration of children is now taking place.

The Family Allowances Act was designed to help equalize opportunities for all children, and when the Act was passed, Parliament approved the principle that there should be no duplication of benefits by way of Family Allowances and Income Tax credits for the same child. An amendment to the Income War Tax Act will be made to deal with this duplication. In the meantime, however, the Govern-

ment proposes, for the last six months of 1945 during which Family Allowances are payable, to remove duplication by adjusting the income tax credits received for children.

It is natural that parents in the low income groups will be expected to receive maximum benefits from Family Allowances. Partial benefits will be received, however, by parents with incomes up to \$3,000.

The table below shows the effect of the adjustments which the Government has decided to make. For convenience and simplicity the benefits received by each income group are shown as a per cent of the Family Allowances received. The table shows:

TABLE SHOWING EFFECT OF ADJUSTMENT FOR 1945

AMOUNT OF TAXABLE INCOME	Percent by which taxpayers will benefit from Family Allowances in addition to present income tax credits, for 1945.	
	Not over \$1200	100%
Over \$1200 but not over 1400	1400	90%
" " " " 1600	1600	80%
" " " " 1800	1800	70%
" " " " 2000	2000	60%
" " " " 2200	2200	50%
" " " " 2400	2400	40%
" " " " 2600	2600	30%
" " " " 2800	2800	20%
" " " " 3000	3000	10%
" " " " 3000		0%

NOTE—This table applies to married persons and others having the status of married persons for income tax purposes. For the relatively small number of single persons supporting children and not having married status for income tax purposes, and for members of the Armed Forces, special tables can be obtained from the Regional Director of Family Allowances in each provincial capital.

Family Allowances will be paid in full

In all cases, those who apply for and are eligible to receive Family Allowances will receive them in full, month by month. See scale below:

SCALE OF MONTHLY ALLOWANCES FOR THE FIRST FOUR CHILDREN

For each child	
Under 6	\$5.00
From 6 to 9 (inclusive)	6.00
From 10 to 12 (inclusive)	7.00
From 13 to 15 (inclusive)	8.00

Where there are more than four children under 16 in the family, the monthly allowance for each child after the fourth will be reduced in accordance with the provisions of the Family Allowances Act.

As far as is possible, to take care of the adjustments necessary to avoid duplication of benefits, current income tax deductions at the source will be adjusted to take into account the new situation when Family Allowance payments commence. This will avoid placing an awkward burden on the taxpayers at the end of the year.

FAMILY ALLOWANCES ARE NOT TAXABLE

Special attention is drawn to the fact that the income ranges used in the table above refer to taxable income, and any amounts received as Family Allowances should not therefore be included in calculating income for this purpose because Family Allowances are not taxable.

Family Allowances are also additional to dependents' allowances for servicemen's families and military pensions.

For children registered after July 1st, 1945, Family Allowances will be paid as from the month following the month when registration is made. Family Allowances are not paid retroactively.

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NOTE THESE TWO EXAMPLES

1. Family with two children, ages 6 and 8, with total income during 1945 of \$1200.

TOTAL FOR SIX MONTHS OF 1945

First Child	\$36.00
Second Child	36.00
	<u>\$72.00</u>

As this family does not benefit by way of Income tax credits, it receives and keeps the full amount as stated above.

2. Family with two children, ages 6 and 8, with total income during 1945 of \$1950.

TOTAL FOR SIX MONTHS OF 1945

First Child	\$36.00
Second Child	36.00
	<u>\$72.00</u>

Amount returnable, being loss of Income tax credits

	28.80
Amount retained (60%, see table)	<u>\$43.20</u>

REGISTER NOW!

If you intend to apply for Family Allowances but have not already done so, please complete and mail Family Allowances Registration Form. Copies of form may be obtained at the nearest post office.

